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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is an informal application for patent as above identified, comprising a specification, claims, abstract, and drawings.

Information regarding the inventor and the application is as follows:

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Residence Address: Doug Wroblewski
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3. Title: CLAMP COLLAR DESIGN
4. Drawings: 7 drawing sheets containing Figs. 1-8
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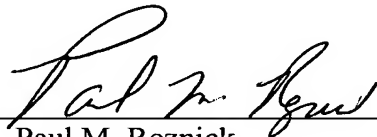
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